FORM PTO-1083



RECEIVED

Docket 81872.0004

(Former Docket No. 200499-20004)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TECHNOLOGY CENTER HATCH

In re application of:

ISHIDA, Noriyuki, et al. Serial No: 09/512,935

February 25, 2000 Filed:

For: BONE-MILL

Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

3725

Rosenbaum, M.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an

envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents Washington D.C. 20231, on

June 12, 2001 Date of Deposit

Michael L. Crapenhoft, Reg. No. 37,115

Signature

6/12/01 Date

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

A Notice Of Change Of Attorney's Address and Associate Power Of Attorney is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Col. 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA*	LG/SM \$ ENTITY FEE		ADD'L FEE DUE	
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	19	-	24	**	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	\$	0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE	3	-	3	***	0	LG=\$80 SM=\$40	\$80	\$	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$270 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$135								\$	0
							TOTAL	\$	0

If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box on Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

A check in the amount of \$___ to cover the additional claims fee is enclosed. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$__to cover the extension fee is enclosed. A copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this sheet is

Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims

Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17

Respectfully submitted. HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P.

Date: June 12, 2001

Biltmore Tower

500 South Grand Avenue, Suite 1900

Telephone: 213 337-6700 Facsimile: 213 337-6701

Michael L. Crapenhoft

Registration No. 37,115 Attorney for Applicant(s)